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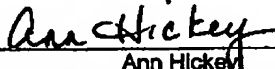
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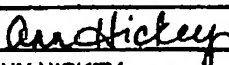
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In response to the Office Action mailed July 11, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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